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WILSON SMILINGLY DROPS HIS BURDEN

Gains in Cheerfulness Through Ordeal That Taxed Powers

UNDER HIS OWN ROOF

Cool Reception For Lodge—Harding Tenderly Courteous— Thousands Demonstrate at House

Washington, March 5.—Eight storm tossed years in the Presidency, filled with moments and scenes that will live forever in human history, ended yesterday for Woodrow Wilson, "just plain Woodrow Wilson now," as he himself smilingly asserted.

Under his own roof again as a private citizen, the former President rested last night with his burdens of state transferred to other shoulders and the shouting and tumult of public place behind him. And through a day that had taxed his broken physical powers greatly, he came smilingly and with whimsical, humorous twist to his comments, yet with no hint at regret in his retirement from high office.

There was but one incident of the day when that cheerful mood seemed to fail. As he stood in the President's room, Mr. Wilson had been telling Senator Knox that he would not witness in the Senate the inauguration of Vice President Coolidge, as he doubted his ability, owing to his physical infirmities, to negotiate the few steps he must climb.

"The Senate has thrown me down" he said to the Pennsylvania Senator, in reference to battles of the past, and the Peace Treaty, "but I am not going to fall down."

A moment later some one touched his arm to call his attention to the fact that Senator Lodge had arrived in the room, as head of the joint committee to inform the President that the Sixty-sixth Congress stood ready for adjournment if he had no further communications to make to it.

Mr. Wilson turned toward the man who led the fight against the Treaty. His face lost its smile as he listened to the Senator's formal report, and there was in his own tone a touch of cool formality as he said:

"I have no further communications to make. I appreciate your courtesy. Good morning."

Mr. Wilson's share in the inauguration ceremonies remained in doubt to the last. It was not until he had finished the business that called him to the Capitol that the retiring President made known his final yielding to the entreaties of his physician and Mrs. Wilson to spare himself the ordeal his physical condition would make of adherence to precedent.

Harding Tenderly Courteous

From the moment he emerged from the White House to mount first the rear step of the automobile that carried them to the Capitol, Mr. Wilson was shown utmost courtesy by Mr. Harding, who lost no opportunity to spare the President's feelings. As he started the painful descent of the White House steps, Mr. Wilson was aided by Secret Service men, who placed his feet on each step and then on the running board of the automobile.

After he sank back into his seat on the right, Mr. Harding stepped in, and they rode side by side down Pennsylvania avenue, neither, in courtesy to the other, responding to the cheers or salutes that greeted them.

At the Capitol, the car drew up first at the Senate wing entrance, under the great steps that sweep up to the main floor. Mr. Harding and others in the car, except Mr. Wilson, alighted and here the crowd waited. Evidently, it had been prearranged that there should be no public comparison to be drawn between the big, strong figure of the new President and the cripled form of the old for Mr. Wilson rode on alone to a little side door, where he had but two steps to mount, and there Arthur Brooks, negro custodian of the White House, awaited him.

Mr. Wilson was lifted out of the car and up the two steps by Brooks. At the top he paused to change his glasses, and, apparently, to recover from the effort. Then, grasping his cane, but alone and unaided, he moved through the door to plod slowly over the three hundred yards of stone flagging to the elevator. He passed without heed a big rolling chair, recently used by Senator Penrose, who also had entered the Capitol in the same way since his illness.

The crowd at the other door had missed Mr. Wilson and set out to find him. They caught up with him as he rounded a corner, turning toward the elevator at the other end of the building from that used by Mr. Harding. There were murmurs of sympathy as the spectators caught sight of the gray haired figure going so slowly and with such evidence of bodily powers driven to their work only by a mastering exercise of will but Mr. Wilson nodded and smiled back as he forced himself on.

Lifted one floor in the elevator Mr. Wilson still alone made his way the short distance to the President's room and the business before him. He greeted the Senators waiting there, exchanged humorous quibs with some of them, and signed or waved away the bills that were laid before him.

As he said good bye to Mr. Wilson the incoming President again displayed the sympathy he felt for his stricken predecessor. They clasped hands, and Mr. Harding said:

"Good-bye, Mr. President, I know you are glad to be relieved of your burden and worries. I want to tel you how much I appreciate the courtesies you have extended to me."

Mr. Wilson seemed to agree that he was glad to be free, for he ever gained in cheerfulness as he moved out of the room, with Senator Knox escorting him to the elevator.

"I can't get accustomed to this feeling," Mr. Wilson said to the Senator, as they moved slowly along "My feet feel so light."

In the elevator, the President swung his cane by its curved handle into the breast pocket of his coat as the cage reached the lower floor, and stood with his right hand on the shoulder of the operator.

"Good-by, son," he said, then stepped out to retrace the long, slow way to the waiting machine.

Again in the automobile with Mrs Wilson, Admiral Grayson, his physician, and Joseph P. Tumulty, his private secretary throughout the eight years in the White House Mr. Wilson seemed, if anything, to have gained in cheerfulness through the ordeal. He was whirled back over the Pennsylvania avenue route raising his hat in answer to greetings as he was recognized by the waiting crowds, or the salutes of soldiers and police who lined the way.

Passing the White House the machine raced, now without escort of troops or police, and Mr. Wilson gave the stately structure,' so long his home. Not a glance. He was carried swiftly to his own new home on "S" street, and there a few hundred neighbors had gathered to cheer him unmindful of the cermonies blocks way at the Capitol, where his successor was taking his oath of office

At home at last, Mr. Wilson stood with Mrs. Wilson to receive the newspapermen who had accompanied him through the day, and most of whom had been long at the White House. He grasped their hands as they came forward, presented by Mr Tumulty, and exchanged a word or two with each. About him in the house a score of intimate friends gathered to do him honor on his return to private life, and it was to Admiral Grayson, who through habit had spoken to him as "Mr. President,", that the cheerful correction was addressed:

"No, just plain Woodrow Wilson now.,,

Thousands Demonstrate at Home

Soon after reaching his new home Mr. Wilson, upon the advice of Dr Grayson, took a short rest in the endeavor to recover from the unusual fatigue to which he had been subjected during the day.

By 3 o'clock, several thousand people had assembled outside the Wilson home, as a part of a demonstration organized by the League of Nations' Association and the Democratic Central Committee of the District of Columbia. While a committee went inside to present a gift of flowers to the former President those outside united in a noisy and enthusiastic greeting.

Mr. Wilson in response to the greeting appeared at the window bowing and smiling a response to the cheering. When he had disappeared and the cheering had shown no signs of diminution, he appeared a second time, accomanied by Mrs. Wilson and upon repeated requests for a speech, he contented himself with

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PUBLIC SCHOOL STATISTICS

(Furnished by U. S. Bureau of Education.)

School Attendance—School Age 15-18 Years

The percentage of the entire school population of the United States, enrolled in the public schools, is 75.3 per cent. The percentage enrolled in private schools is 6.9 per cent. The percentage not enrolled in any school is 17.8 per cent.

The State of Virginia ranks No. 38 out of 49; that is 48 states and the District of Columbia. The percentage of enrolment in this state being 70.9 per cent of the school population, 2.6 per cent attend private schools and 26.5 per cent do not attend any school.

High School Enrolment

The percentage of total enrolment in the High Schools of the United States is 9.3 per cent. Virginia ranks No. 37 out of the said 49 states and Federal District, having a high school enrolment of 6.1 per cent.

Average Length of School Year.

The average length of the school year for the United States is 160.7 days. The average for Virginia is 141 days. There are six states with more than 180 days; twenty-three between 161 and 180 days; and ten with 141 to 160 days. Virginia thus ranks about No. 37, again, in her length of school year.

Part of School Year Wasted

The average part of the school year wasted by non-attendance for the U S. is 25.4 per cent. That is, one child out of every four in the U. S., is absent every day in the scholastic year. In Virginia the average percentage of the school term wasted is 32.1; ranking about No. 37, again. That is almost one child in every three in Virginia goes entirely without schooling each year.

Financial Loss Due to Non-Attendance

The financial loss to Virginia by reason of non-attendance, every year, is computed at $2,665,747. The loss for the whole United States is, in round numbers, over 190 millions of dollars. That is to say, this country wastes that amount each year in providing for teaching children who are out of school.

Teachers' Salaries

In 1918 the total number of teachers in the U. S. was 650,709; including 105,194 men and 545,515 women. The average annual salary for all the teachers in the U. S. was $685.00. The average in Virginia was 385.00, about 40th in the list of the entire country.

School Revenues

The United States as a whole, derived 20 per cent of its school revenues from the respective states; 10 per cent from the counties; and 10 per cent from local sources. Virginia derived from the state 30 per cent of her school revenues; from the county 25 per cent; and from local sources about 45 per cent.

Cost Per Pupil

The average cost per pupil for education in the U. S., in 1918, was $30.91. Virginia's expense was $15.00. There were forty-one states that spent more than this, and seven states that spent less. The whole United States spent during the same year an average of $5.71 per pupil enrolled, for new buildings, sites, etc., while Virginia spent only $2.26 per pupil.. The average of the U. S., per inhabitant, for education, was $7.26; while Virginia only spent $3.72 per inhabitant. The average cost per pupil attending school for the U. S., was $7.67; and in Virginia, $3.32.

Labor Permits For Children

Many of the states require a certain amount of schooling on the part of the child before permits are given to work during school terms. Virginia is among the states whose laws are silent on this subject.

Illiteracy in U. S. and in Virginia

The census of 1910 gives the total white population of the U. S. as 88.9 per cent. The negro population as 10.7 per cent; and all other .04 per cent. The total white population of Virginia is 67.4 per cent; the negro population being 32.6 per cent. The illiteracy among the white population of the U. S., 10 years and over amounts to 7.7 per cent; and among the negroes, 30.4 per cent. The illiteracy among the whites in Virginia is 15.2 per cent; among the negroes, is 30 per cent. The illiterates, ages 10 to 14 years, among the total population of the U. S., amount to 4.1 per cent. The illiterates among the total population of Virginia, ages 10 to 14 years, amount to 9.2 par cent.

(Editor Gazette.)

TEN BREWERIES SEIZED IN RAID

Federal Agents Close Plants In Philadelphia

2000 LOSE JOBS

Charged Cereal Beverage Tax Paid on Beer Above Alcoholic Content—Brewers Are Surprised by Raid

Philadelphia, March 5.—Ten breweries in this city were seized yesterday by internal revenue agents who descended upon them while they were in operation, placed guards around the plants and seized their books. The breweries closed are:

The Philadelphia Brewing Company, Sixth and Clearfield streets; American Brewing Company, Thirty-first and Master streets; Bergner & Engel Brewing Comany, Thirty-second and Master streets; Class and Nachod Brewing Company, Tenth street and Montgomery avenue; Prospect Brewing Company, Eleventh and Oxford streets; Weger Bros., Thirty-second and Thompson streets; Finkenauer Brewing Company, 1700 Germantown Avenue; John Jacob Wolf, Fifth and Poplar streets, John Roehm Brewing Company, 2433 North Broad street, and Hohen-Adel Brewery, Queen lane and Norristown Railroad.

These breweries represent investments of more than $10,000,000 and employ more than 2000 persons, who were forced out of work by the seizure. The raids yesterday brought the number of breweries seized here by the Federal agents to a total of eleven, as another was closed several days ago. Seven others in various parts of the State were also seized.

According to Ephraim Lederer, Collector of Internal Revenue, the breweries were closed for failure to comply with the Internal Revenue act "The real reason," Mr. Lederer said, "was to aid the enforcement of the Volstead act. These breweries have been paying the tax required on cereal beverages and they have been making and selling alcoholic drinks. Analysis of the 'near beer' have proven this. The alcoholic content was over half of one per cent. It will be almost impossible for the saloons in this city to get this so-called near beer now."

Following the seizure of the plants here, Prohibition Commisioner Kramer, at Washington, notified the local prohibition authorities that a date should be set for a hearing in the near future, at which time the owners would be allowed to show why they should not be closed.

This form of prohibition enforcement was introduced to Philadelphia several days ago by Federal agents when the John F. Betz and Sons brewery was seized and closed by the agents, who placed guards around the plant and seized the books of the company. It was said that orders for the raiding and closing of the breweries were issued by Internal Revenue Commissioner W. W. Williams, in Washington.

Officials of the seized breweries had not completely recovered from their surprise last night, and were unable to make known what action they will take. Several said they would wait to see what steps the government takes before they outline their plans. Most of the companies have large quantities of beer on hand and many have contracted with saloons to supply them for lengthy periods.

The news of the seizures was received in "Brewery Town" with consternation. Four of the plants are located in this section of the city. Since prohibition became effective none of the companies have been working with a full force of men and, as a consequence, many now are out of work.

TO SPEAK ON MISSIONS

A missionary meeting will be held in Grace Episcopal Church at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon, when the Rev. Mr. Covell, of Trinity Church, Washington, will speak of the work in the mission field in North Carolina.

All interested in missions are invited to attend.

Rites For Champ Clark

Eulogies Delivered in House—Body Goes to Bowling Green, Mo., For Burial

Washington, March 5.—The body of Champ Clark lay in state last night in the hall of the House of Representatives, guarded by a special detail of Capitol police. In the chamber where the late Democratic leader spent the greater part of an active political life, funeral services were held this morning.

Speaker Gillett presided, and eulogies delivered by Senator Reed , of Missouri, and Representative Mann, of Illinois. The Rev. J. S. Montgomery, House chaplain, read a scriptural selection and made the opening prayer. A quartet sang, and the benediction was delivered by the Rev. Earl W. Wiffley.

A special train bearing the body and congressional escort party left for Missouri at 3 o'clock this afternoon. It is due to arrive in St. Louis at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon, and the body will be taken to the City Hall, where it will be in state until midnight. Early Monday morning the train will leave for Bowling Gren, Mo., where funeral services and burial will take place at 2 o'clock.

COSTA RICA NEARING DISPUTED TOWN

Panama, March 5.—Confirmation was received here this morning that Costa Rican forces are advancing upon Almorante in the Province of Bocas Del Toro, where extensive North American interest are located. The advices report casualties, but do not say whether Almorante has been captured, although little hope is entertained that the Panamans could withstand the superior forces of the Costa Ricans.

Almorante is included in the territory which Panama has been holding under status quo while the frontier lines have remained undecided.

Almorante, like Coto on the Pacific coast, has been claimed by the Costa Ricans, who have disputed Panaman possession before all arbitration courts.

With the capture of three Costa Rican vessels at Coto the Panamans have nearly two hundred prisoners with corresponding arms and equipment. They have inflicted about thirty deaths with two Panamans wounded, and at present the Panamans are holding Coto undisputed.

Unconfirmed reports were spread here yesterday morning that United States naval forces were ready to proceed to Coto and Almorante. At the Balboa headquarters of the Fifteenth Naval district it was stated orders to make such a movement had not been received.

STAR GETS DROWNING SENSATIONS IN FILM

Marjorie Daw, the pretty little motion picture actress, who will be seen in a leading part in "Dinty" when that production will be shown tonight at the Idle Hour Theatre, declares she went through the most squeamish experience of her career during the making of that film.

She plays the art of Ruth Whitely, daughter of Judge Whitely, who has incurred the deadly enmity of "King" Dorkh, Malay half-breed and leader of a gang of highbinders. Dorkh kinnaps the judge's daughter and plans a terrible revenge for the sentence of his son. Ruth is strapped to a table under a swinging pendulum with a razor edge. The fiendish contrivance drops just an inch every time it swings, coming nearer and nearer the strapped victim. "Dinty" O'Sullivan, a news boy, and his Chinese friends, however, bring about a rescue in the nick of time and Ruth is restored to her father and fiance.

"Acting that scene was the most nerve racking experience. I have ever had," said Marjorie. "Of course, I knew that everything would come out all right, but just the same I had cold chills looking at that swinging pendulum. I believe I went through all the sensations of a drowning person, because it seems as though I thought of everything I had ever done in my whole life. The scene was terribly realistic and I never felt more relieved than I did when it was all over,"

Read today's Classified Columns in the Gazette. Something there you need, may be.

Dies From Injuries

Charles T. Bell Bell Was Injured Last December at Torpedo Station

Charles Turnbull Bell, seventeen years old, son of Mrs. Ola Verdon Bell and the late Charles W. Bell, died yesterday afternoon at Georgetown University Hospital, Washington, as a result of injuries received last December while employed at the Alexandria Naval Torpedo Station as a coppersmith's apprentice. He was injured by a piece of steel falling on him, the lower part of the body being injured. Since his injuries he had been in the hospital most of the time.

The body was brought here last night and taken to the home of his mother, 321 South Lee street. His funeral will take palce at 9 o'clock Monday morning from St. Mary's Catholic Church. Burial will be in the Presbyterian cemetery.

SURPRISE BIRTHDAY PARTY

A delightful surprise birthday party was given Miss Margaret Whitestone at her home last evening. Dancing, games and refreshments were enjoyed. Miss Whitestone was the recipient of a handsome gold pencil, presented with the best wishes of those present. Among whom were Misses Mary Kelley, Margaret and Mary Cain, Dorothy Knight, Madalene Conlon and Mrs. J. D. Kelley. Messrs. Eddie Downey, Bart and Tony Conlon, Frank Fannon, George Yaeger, Lawrence Corbett, Eddie Quinn and Robert Whitestone.

Call On Harding

Mrs. J. Albert Henderson and F. L. B. Crook, This City, Relatives Of President

President and Mrs. Harding entertained at luncheon at the White House yesterday Vice President and Mrs. Coolidge and a company of 21 relatives and intimate acquaintances of members of their family at the White House. It was served in the handsome state dining room, which was filled with flowers and other blossoms. All the rooms on the main floor of the White House were filled with flowers, sent by friends and other well wishers. After the luncheon a few additional relatives were received by President and Mrs. Harding in the east room prior to the reception the President held there for the Ohio delegation. Mrs. Harding wore for the luncheon the modish costume in which she was attired at the Capitol—a blue gown of the peculiar shade already known as "Mrs. Harding blue," with a tunic of georgette beaded in blue and silver beads. Her hat was a becoming black straw with high crown, softened by quantities of outstanding paradise feathers. Among the relatives who came to pay their respects to President and Mrs. Harding were Mrs. W. S. Kidwell and young daughter, of Rosemont, and Mrs. J. Albert Henderson and Mr. F. L. B. Crook, of of Alexandria.

Held For Grand Jury

Colored Man Charged With Breaking in Railroad Shanty

A young colored man registered on the police blotter as Alphonso Webster was in the police court today held for the action of the grand jury. It was alleged that the accused endeavored to break into a Southern Railway shanty in the yards yesterday. He was taken in custody by Policemen C. A. Padgett and Joseph Newland.

W. H. Sisson testified he was loitering about the place and he took him in custody and the man ran away

Webster asserted positively that it was a case of mistaken identity, adding he had not been near the railroad yards for three years and he further stated he did not leave his home yesterday.

RITES FOR MRS. SUSAN A. SMOOT HELD THIS AFTERNOON

The funeral of Mrs. Susan A. Smoot who died Thursday morning at her residence, 301 South St. Asaph street, took place at 4 o'clock this afternoon from her late residence and was attended by a large number of relatives and friends of the deceased. Services were conducted by Rev. Dr. John Lea Allison, pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church. The pallbearers were C. Page Waller, Dr. Thomas B. Cochran, Richard E. Acton, Henry O'B. Cooper, T. Anderson Sommers and Robert M. Graham. Burial was in St. Paul's cemetery.

JENNIE V. DePLANTA DIES FROM BURNS

Twelve Year Old Girl Expires at Hospital This Morning

HAPPENED AT HOME

Another Child Playing With Stick on Fire Caught Her Clothing—Entire Body Burned

Jennie V. De Planta, twelve years old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Orville J. De Planta, of 1520 King street, was badly burned over her entire body at 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon and died at 6 o'clock this morning at the Alexandria Hospital from the effects of the burns.

It is said that another child while playing with a stick which contained fire came in contact with her causing her clothes to become ignited. Before the flames could be smothered the child was literally burned from head to foot. She was treated at the hospital by Dr. S. B. Moore.

Her funeral will take place at 11 o'clock Monday morning from Wheatley's mortuary chapel and services will be conducted by Rev. O. P. Lloyd, pastor of the Second Baptist Church, and burial will be in Bethel cemetery.

JERSEY LEGISLATOR MOVES AGAINST K. K. K.

Trenton, N. J., March 5.—Declaring that as the result of "very definite rumors" of a plan to form a branch of the Ku Klux Klan in Jersey City, Assemblyman Walter G. Alexander, of Newark, the first colored man ever elected to the New Jersey Legislature, has introduced a bill intended to keep the organization out of the State.

Assemblyman Alexander, who is a physician, said that the Klan had already perfected plans to organize strongly in the North and that prominent negroes of the State had decided to try to keep out the organization through legislation.

Alexander's bill is intended to amend the act "regulating fraternal beneficiary societies, orders and associations" by providing a section forbidding in the State organizations having for their object "attacks upon religious sects of denominations, suppression of religious briefs, obstruction of religious beliefs, creation of industrial unrest, propagation of racial prejudices and disturbances, suppression of foreign immigration and the suppression of laws."

UNABLE TO FIND HOUSE BRIDE OF 16 SHOOTS SELF

Pittsburgh, March 5.—Disheartened because her efforts to find a house had been in vain, Mrs. Margaret Stewart, 16 years old, bride of Robert Stewart, shot herself late yesterday at the home of her parents, in Dearth, near here, where the couple have been residing, and is reported dying today at the Brownsville General Hospital. The young bride, on the verge of a nervous breakdown because of worry over her inability to secure a little home for herself, is believed by physicians to have been mentally incapacitated when she turned the weapon on herself.

Since their marriage, less than a year ago, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart have searched in vain for the little bungalow they had long dreamed about, but the best they could was to obtain rooms in the home of the bride's parents.

Neither was suited by this arrangement. Stewart's home was also out of the question. They wanted a home where they "could be alone," according to the girl's parents. Day after day she visited nearby towns in search of a house, but always the result was the same. She either found no vacant houses or houses which were beyond their means, so far as rent was concerned. Her despondency grew after each failure, her parents and husband say, and yesterday, after another fruitless excursion, she returned home and went to her room. A short time later a shot was heard.

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TO-DAY'S THOUGHT. There's a special providence in the fall of a sparrow. If it be now, 'tis not to come; if it be not to come it will be now; if it be not now, yet it will come; the readiness is all. Since no man has aught of what he leaves, what is't to leave betimes?

Hamlet.

Our Public Schools.

We have been at some pains to get from the U. S. Bureau of Education, a series of comparative statistics as to various items pertaining to the public schools of the country. We print them elsewhere in today's paper for the benefit of our readers, and suggest that they keep a copy of the Gazette for future reference as it is quite some task to dig them out from 200 pages of figures.

Our purpose in giving them to the people of Alexandria is that they may have a measuring stick whereby from time to time, they may be able to form an intelligent comparison between Alexandria other Virginia cities and the whole United States.

We shall obtain, later, the facts as to Alexandria's schools in their relative position to the other schools of the State and country, and publish them. We have no doubt that our School Board has at heart the welfare of our public schools. We presume they are all intelligent gentlemen who wish to do what is right. We are not quite sure that they have familiarized themselves with the figures we give today and if not, doubtless they will welcome the opportunity.

There is no office within the gift of the people that is more important than that of school trustee, because upon his breadth of vision, mental equipment, and fidelity to his high office, largely depend the future welfare of our children and their training for the manifold duties of life.

ITALIANS REMEMBER DANTE

New York, March 5.—The Italians of New York are preparing to celebrate with appropriate ceremonies the 800th anniversary of the immortal poet, Dante, who belongs not to the Italians alone but to all the world. The festivities, which will have a popular character, will be promoted by the Dante Alighieri Society, a national organization, whose purpose is the diffusion of Italian culture in America.

Several years ago funds for a Dante monument were collected among the Italians of New York. The sculptural work has already been completed by one of Italy's best artists, Ettore Ximenes, the sculptor of the monument of Verrazzano, the Italian discoverer of the Hudson Bay, which is in Battery Place, New York.

When the Dante monument is erected, there will be five Italian monuments in New York, the other three being the Columbus Monument at Columbus Circle, the Garibaldi Monument in Washington Square, and the one of Verdi at 72nd Street and Broadway.

Chamber Of Commerce

We are informed that next week, beginning with Tuesday, the 8th inst., various gentlemen representing the Alexandria Chamber of Commerce, will call on their fellow-citizens to obtain renewals of their membership and to ask for new members.

In our editorial of yesterday, we commented upon the astonishing achievements of Richmond. The capital of Virginia has 208 manufacturing plants, working in iron, steel, tobacco, cotton, grain, wood, paper, chemicals, food, flour, cotton oil, and many other raw materials. These factories represent an investment of nearly 50 million dollars, employ 34,000 people, and produce an annual wealth for that city of more than 160 million dollars. Many of these industries were brought to Richmond directly through the agency of its Chamber of Commerce. All of them have been supported, encouraged, inspired, aided, and furthered by that institution. They, in turn, have contributed their time, their money, their brains, and their heartiest endeavors to its enthusiastic support and maintenance.

Go wherever you will in our broad land today, and you will find the best, and the very best, of the citizenship as active members and workers in the trade bureaus, chambers of commerce and civic organizations formed for the furtherance of the public welfare. Those cities which have awakened to the importance of having their social, mercantile, industrial, and all other non-political municipal interests looked after by the best brains of the city, have thriven to a degree that is nothing less than astounding. Chicago is already ahead of New York as a City Beautiful, and the scheme of her development as planned ahead for years to come will place her near if not at the head and front of all the cities of the world in civic development. Our neighboring city of Baltimore has awakened to this fact with a tremendous start, and her citizens, aroused to the tensest activity by and through her virile civic associations, have voted millions upon millions for her improvement as a port and her betterment as an industrial center for a population augmented by hundreds of thousands. We have already mentioned Richmond. We have but to add Atlanta, as the chief city of the south, and owing her greatness to the universal public spirit and unselfish labors of her people.

The gentlemen who will go upon their rounds next week in their altruistic efforts among their neighbors should be received with a glad hand and welcomed with a kindly greeting. It is not to be supposed that this is a pleasant task to them. They are neglecting their private business and personal matters in order to devote themselves to the public welfare. There is no gain to them that is not multiplied a thousand fold for the general good. They should be made to feel that their endeavors are appreciated. That the community at large recognizes the immense value of the work done by its Chamber of Commerce, and proposes that it shall have generous indorsement.

Our Chamber of Commerce is what you make it; you, who read these words! It is easy to sneer, to grouch, to cavil at one's fellow-men. To accuse them of selfish motives and mean acts. The question is what have you done to mend things. Have you been an active member—or a member at all? Have you given of your days, your money, your brains, to help and foster this time-honored institution in your midst? Or have you stood back and criticized and found fault and back-bitten? If the latter, take shame, my friend, and mend your ways!

If you are not a member, become a member; for the good of your family, your city's future, and your selfish self! If you are a member, and have not attended the meetings, or partaken of the activities of this public-spirited body, then, again, mend your ways and become operant and diligent in forwarding the measures that will benefit your neighbor and yourself as will no other agency or influence at work today in Alexandria.

This Chamber of Commerce will be what you make it! One member has the rights, the privileges, the duties of all. Elect your own leaders, choose your own directive bodies and bureaus. But be and do something yourself. Only the most benighted ignorance will sneer or scoff at the institution itself. To criticize the organization of a bureau of trade or a chamber of commerce in the year 1921, is to write oneself down as an egregious and incurable ignoramus.

You can have no fault to find with your Chamber of Commerce, therefore. To criticize its management or its membership, if you have merely been "a looker-on here in Vienna"—is to condemn yourself even more vigorously!

Wherefore, we hope that every man invited by these public-spirited gentlemen in their rounds next week, will accord them a richly-merited welcome, and for the sake of Alexandria, destined to be one of Virginia's great cities, join the Chamber of Commerce or renew their present membership. And, joining or renewing, we beseech them that they become active and participant in the labors as well as sharers in the benefits. Your vote in that body is a duty not second even to your political franchise!

DEARBORN POLICE DENY POTTER KIDNAPPING STORY

Detroit, March 5.—Denial that Henry Potter, editor of a Philadelphia publication, who told Toronto police yesterday he had been kidnapped by three men on the Henry Ford estate recently, ever had entered the Ford estate was made yesterday by Fred Faustmann, police chief of Dearborn. Chief Faustmann declared that after an investigation of several days he had information to show Potter had not entered the Ford property, being turned back at the gate by guards. "Proof that Potter was kidnaped is utterly lacking," the police chief said.

Officials of the Ford Motor Company esterday refused to discuss Potter's statement.

128 CONGRESSMEN GO BACK TO PRIVATE LIFE

Washington, March 5.—When gavels announcing adjournment of the Sixty-sixth Congress fell in the Senate and House at noon yesterday 128 members of the two bodies were retired to private life. Most of them were defeated for reelection, a few declined to run again, but the great majority wer caught in the Republican tidal wave that swept through the country last November.

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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

The ordinance of the Lord's Supper will be administered at the First Baptist Church tomorrow morning.

The body of Mrs. Isabella V. Ryan, a former resident, who died in Washington, was brought here this afternoon and buried in Bethel cemetery.

Mr. Ferdinand Knight, who was operated on several days ago at Casualty Hospital, Washington, is able to be out again.

The condition of Mrs. John Maffet, who was operated on this week at the Alexandria Hospital, is improving.

Mr. William L. Cowhig, chief train dispatcher of the Southern Railway, and the guest during the week of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Massey Dade, at Dade River.

The March term of the circuit court for this city, Judge S. G. Brent presiding, will convene Monday at 10 o'clock. The docket will be called and cases set for trial.

The Rev. W. H. Best, Sunday school field secretary of the Baltimore Conference, will preach at Del Ray Methodist Church at 7:30 tomorrow evening.

At the Alexandria Hospital this afternoon it was stated that the condition of D. F. Taylor, who was injured by falling from the baggage car of a train of which he was a baggage master, is slightly improved.

Rev. Dr. Wallace E. Rollins, of the Virginia Theological Seminary, will occupy the pulpit at St. Paul's Church tomorrow. At the morning service there will be morning prayer with sermon and Holy Communion.

A special jury has been summoned for Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock in the circuit court, Judge S. G. Brent presiding, when the contest over the will of the late Louise M. Adams will be heard.

The Rev. Dr. William J. Morton, rector of Christ Church, will preach at St. Mark's Church, Washington, at 4 p. m., tomorrow. The Rev. Dr. Beverly D. Tucker, Jr., of the Theological Seminary, will preach at Christ Church.

The funeral of Carey S. Mills, who died yesterday, will take place at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. H. Linden Wheatley, 317 South Lee street. Services will be conducted by Rev. Dr. W. J. Morton, rector of Christ Episcopal Church, and burial will be in the Methodist cemetery.

Miss Lei Red, of Houston, Texas, is visiting Miss Lucy Reardon, at her home in Prince street, en route to visit friends in Philadelphia and New York. Miss Reardon also has as her guest, Miss Maria Whitson, of Talladega, Ala. Before returning to her home Miss Whitson will visit Randolph Macon Woman's College, Lynchburg.

TO TALK PEACE TO ERIN

London, March 5.—There was an important development in the Irish situation last night, when Premier Lloyd George declared that he would be willing again to negotiate with accredited Irish leaders in the hope of reaching a settlement.

The Government, however, holds firm in its refusal to release many men whom the Sinn Fein need as a condition for the inauguration of conferences. It is believed, however, that with even the conservative press voicing a desire for peace this attitude might somewhat be relaxed. Following the collapse of the attack of Sir Hamar Greenwood, Secretary of State for Ireland, and of the Crozier affair, the Government apparently feels strong enough to talk peace without bringing upon itself the suspicion of having been compelled to do so.

Local outbreaks continue daily in Ireland. Londonderry was the scene of severe rioting last night. One policeman was killed from ambush yesterday and there are reports of extensive Sinn Fein movements in the south. Seven bridges have been destroyed.

Another daylight robbery occurred in Dublin yesterday, when the clerk of Mount Joy prison was held up and £300 of payroll money taken.

Dublin's answer to the imposition of the 9 o'clock curfew is a demand for the immediate adoption of local daylight saving to regain the lost hour. All the theatres and movies in the city are closed or will be in a short time.

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HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

Wednesday afternoon the High School five went to Fredericksburg to play the High School there. Alexandria romped all over the boys of Fredericksburg. Petitt led the shooting for Alexandria while Midkiff played an excellent game despite a sprained ankle. The team of Alexandria played well in every department, while the weaker team of Fredericksburg played well but was no match for the Alexandrians. Final score 59 to 6.

Thursday afternoon the girls Seniors and Junior teams played for class championship. The first half things seemed pretty tight the score being 6 to 4 in favor of the Juniors. As the start of the second half things started to "pop" because Miss Dienst just tossed baskets right and left as if there was nothing to it at all. The Juniors have four first team players while the Seniors have but one. The Juniors are much elated over their victory of 25 to 4.

Thursday night, the High school gave a dance. It was attended by a good many town people all of which report an excellent time. The music, by McWilliams Jazz Band, was excellent. The party was well chaperoned by many patrons of the school.

The High School will play the Dreadnaught team in the near future. This promises to be a great game and one in which every person in town should be interested. The game will be announced in the Gazette.

The Parent-Teachers' Association are making excellent progress in work for the stadium.

The play "Miss Hobbs" has been postponed to March 17th, 18th, and 19th.

"Mike" Houston.

DIED

BELL—At Georgetown University Hospital, Friday afternoon, March 4, 1921, CHARLES TURNBULL BELL, in the 18th year of his age, son of Ola Verdon and the late Charles W. Bell. Funeral Monday morning at 9 o'clock from St. Mary's Church. Interment private. 56-1p.

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Tuesday coming, the Dreadnaughts play the Alexandria High School on the latter's court and as evidence of the big clubs' intention to promote and assist clean athletics in Alexandria, the entire proceeds of the game go to the improvement of the High School grounds which have been sorely neglected by our city fathers. All those interested in the A. H. S., should attend this game to help the school children get their campus in a condition it can be used.

President Clark C. Griffith and Manager George F. McBride, of the Washington Baseball Club, are determined to give their Alexandria and Washington baseball patrons the best service of any club in the American Baseball League.

The new southern entrance to the Washington park has been completed, which will be a great convenience to the fans in entering and leaving the park, as many ticket booths have been built, so as to avoid crowding by those who arrive at the park shortly before games commence. A new office building has also been erected for the official duties of President Griffith, where the "latch string" will always hang out for Alexandrians who may have business with the "boss" of the Nationals.

The Alexandria baseball fans who attended the recent banquet to Manager George F. McBride, at the Wardman Park Hotel, Washington, were treated with every courtesy by the "Dandy Captain." He sure did give the boys a hearty welcome, and the way he "locked horns" with his brother Elks from Alexandria was a most pleasing spectacle and showed the true spirit of brotherly love as practiced by the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks members.

Chief Goods, of the Alexandria police department, President Ban Johnson, of the American Baseball League, and the king of baseball fans—"Cy" Cummings, of Maryland,— were the three largest and jolliest men at the banquet.

The Washington and Boston teams of the American Baseball League, will open the baseball season in Washington, April 13. Box seat tickets of admission have been placed on sale and they are "going like hot cakes." To accommodate those who desire box seat tickets for the opening game, Sylvester A. Breen, 1322 King street, will purchase them. The price for the above mentioned seats is $1.40 each.

NOTICE OF FIRST MEETING OF CREDITORS

In the District Court of the United States, for the Eastern District of Virginia. In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of Ernest D. File, Bankrupt. No. 190. In Bankruptcy.

To the creditors of Ernest D. File, of Alexandria and District aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 15th day of March, A. D., 1921, the first meeting of his creditors will be held at 128 South Royal street, in the city of Alexandria, Va., at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

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TWO D. C. POLICE SHOT BY NEGRO IN PISTOL DUEL

Washington. D. C., March 5.—Two policemen were wounded, one probably mortally, George Elwell, a negro, of 1309 Riggs street northwest, was bullet-riddled and a civilian shot in a running pistol battle at 10:30 o'clock last night. The fight started at the Woodworth Apartment, Tenth and M streets northwest and terminated at Ninth and L streets.

Sergt. J. M. Roper, Second precinct, is shot through the right and left sides. His condition is critical, Private J. F. Waldron, No. 2, suffered a scalp wound. Elwell, shot six times, is dying at Emergency Hospital, where the wounded officers also were taken. James Henry Conroy, 456 M street southwest, the civilian, was shot in the side.

Seeing the negro crouched on a fire escape of the flat house, Waldron, with Private Thomas J. Sullivan, No. 2 precinct, entered the building, emerged a floor above his quarry and started down toward him. Commanded to throw up his hands, the negro fired, striking Waldron. He then dropped to the ground.

Sullivan pursued the negro to Ninth and M streets where he was joined by Roper, Lieut. Sheetz and Sergt. Grey, all of No. 2. At Ninth and L streets the fugitive, who had turned to fire five times at the officers and who had wounded Roper twice while the shots were being returned, leaped a fence and stood at bay. The officers' pistols barked at him and suddenly he jumped back to the pavement and collapsed.

An amublance from Emergency Hospital had been summoned and removed all the wounded in one load. It was at a time when Ninth street was crowded and the escape of several pedestrians from being shot was a matter of luck.

Elwell, the officers declare, was about to enter the Woodworth to burglarize suites. He was placed on the operating table immediately on arrival at Emergency, as was Roper.

Roper was to start yesterday for the Atlanta penitentiary with a group of prisoners. His record on the local force is long and honorable. At the time of the shooting he was acting lieutenant of the Second precinct.

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WILSON SMILINGLY DROPS HIS BURDEN

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pointing to his throat.

Dr. Grayson stated afterwards that Mr. Wilson was profoundly touched by the tribute paid him and that he was so moved that his voice choked when he left the window and attempted to speak to those near him.

The demonstration continued almost until twilight and Mr. Wilson was forced to respond two more times to the greetings. Hundreds of automobiles and a constant stream of pedestrians passed by during the evening and early hours of the night.

In addition to several of his former Cabinet heads, Mr. Wilson received during the afternoon numerous Democratic Senators and Representatives and several members of the diplomatic corps.

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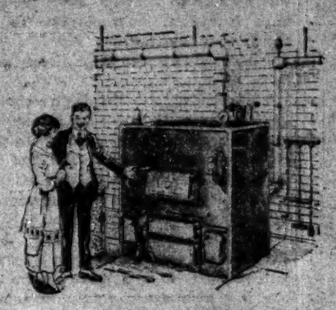

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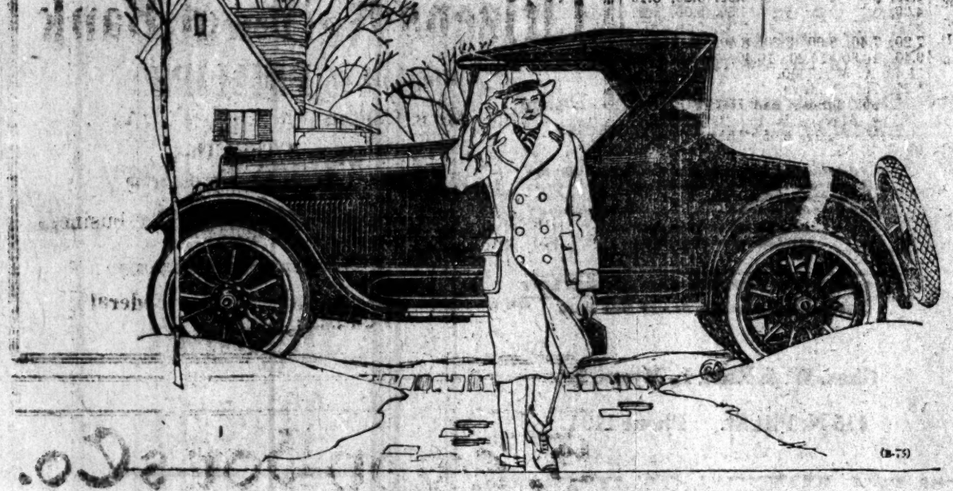

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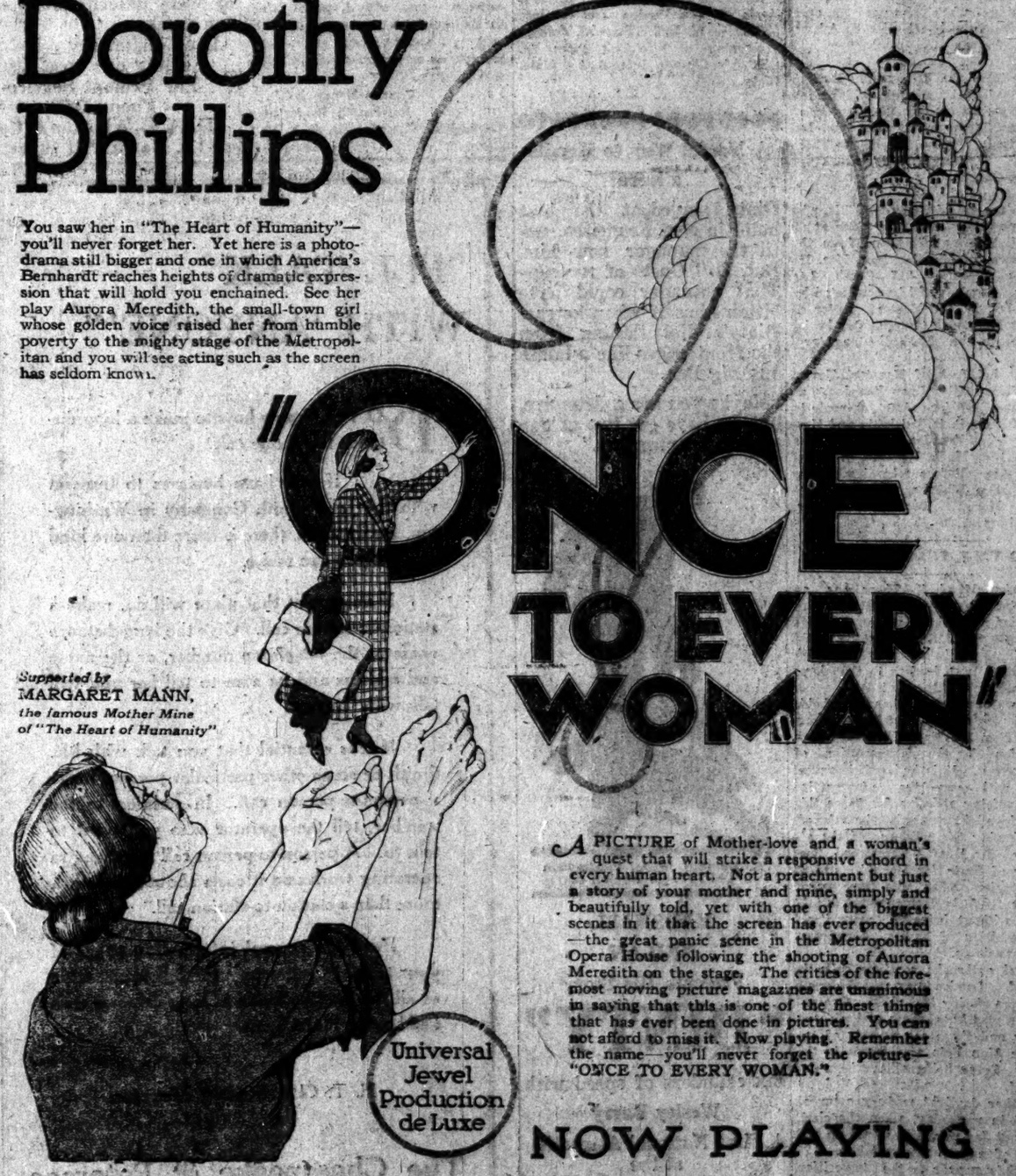

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Resting only one day between jobs, he will leave tomorrow for Holyoke, Mass., where he will open a lecture tour.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 2nd day of March, 1921.

Lonnie Gartrell, complainant vs. Clara Gartrell, defendant. In Chancery No. 1415.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii from the defendant on the grounds of desertion for a period of more than three years, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Clara Gartrell is a non-resident of this State It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within ten days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

Wm. M. Ellison, P. Q.
A Copy Teste.
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
55-4wp Clerk.
By Ashby E. Bladen, Deputy Clerk.

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St. Mary's Catholic Church, Rev. Louis Smet rector, masses at 7, 9 and 11 a. m.

Immanuel Lutheran Church, Rev. Carl Goette, pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Service 11 a. m.

Pentecostal Assembly—Old Presbyterian Church, 300 block South Fairfax street Sunday School, 11 a. m., preaching service, 7:45 p. m., by Rev. P. C. Duberg.

St. Paul's P. E. Church, services; Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Men's Bible Class, 9:45 a. m. Services 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. The pulpit will be occupied tomorrow by Rev. Dr. Wallace E. Rollins, of the Virginia Theological Seminary.

Methodist Protestant Church—Rev. G. J. Hill, pastor. Sunday School 9:30 a. m. Morning service 11 o'clock. Evening 7:45, Christian Endeavor at 7 p. m., topic, "Thy Kingdom Come In My Church."

Christian Science Society—Services at Lee Camp Hall, 806 Prince street, Sunday at 11 a. m., and Sunday School at 10 a. m., and services Wednesday at 8 p. m.

Second Baptist Church, Rev. O. P. Lloyd pastor, Sunday School, 9:30 a. m., George K. Bender, Supt. Worship at 11 a. m., sermon by the pastor. Evening sermon, 7:45. A cordial welcome to all.

Free Methodist Church, Rev. L. H. Kelly, pastor. Sunday School at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m., and 8 p. m. Children's class meeting at 3 p. m., Young Peoples' Meeting 7 p. m. Class meeting Tuesday and prayer meeting Thursday at 7:30 p. m. Class meeting directly after preaching Sunday morning. All are cordially invited to attend these services. Come and bring your friends.

Grace P. E. Church, Rev. Edgar Carpenter, rector, order of services tomorrow; Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m., Sunday School, 9:30 a. m., morning service, 11 a. m., evening service, 7:45 p. m.

Christ Protestant Episcopal Church, rector, Rev. Dr. William J. Morton. Sunday School and Emmanuel Bible Class, 9:30 a. m. Morning service 11 o'clock. Evening service at 7:45 o'clock. Free pews. Everybody welcome. Lenten services Tuesday and Friday at 4:30 p. m. At 7:45 p. m., services will be conducted by the Rev. Dr. Beverly D. Tucker, Jr., of the Theological Seminary.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 2nd day of March, 1921.

Lucille Harry Whittemore, complainant vs. John Emmett Whittemore, defendant. In Chancery No. 1416.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to annull, set aside and have declared void, the marriage heretofore celebrated between the Complainant and the Defendant, that Complainant may resume her maiden name and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant John Emmett Whittemore is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within ten days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

Davis and Budwesky, P. Q.
A Copy Teste.
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
55-4wp Clerk
By Ashby E. Bladen, Deputy Clerk.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 1st day of March, 1921.

Annie M. A. Degges, complainant vs. James R. Degges, defendant. In Chancery No. 1414.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant from the defendant an absolute divorce upon the ground of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit, the custody of their infant child, Bessie N. Degges, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant James R. Degges is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within ten days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

Smith and Woolls, P. Q.
A Copy Teste.
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
55-4wp Clerk
By Ashby E. Bladen, Deputy Clerk

Class for men at 9:45 a. m. The men of Alexandria and vicinity will be cordially welcomed here.

First Baptist Church, Rev. E. B. Jackson, D. D., pastor, regular Sunday services at 11 a. m., and 7:45 p. m., a large chorus choir. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. S. W. Pitts, superintendent. The Baptist Young Peoples' Union at 7 p. m. Clinton Brown, president. The W. F. Watson Memorial Philathea Class for young ladies has been organized, with Mrs. E. H. Lewis as teacher. Young ladies of the church and community are invited to join. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 8 p. m. A cordial welcome awaits strangers.

Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church—east side of South Washington street, founded 1774. Rev. Dr. D. H. Martin, pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m., Charles Pierpoint, superintendent. 9:45 a. m., Men's Bible Class, teacher, Dr. Martin, assistant, R. E. Knight, Jr. Services 11 a. m., sermon and Holy Communion. 7:45 p. m., sermon-lecture by Dr. Martin, subject, "The Man of Beauty and street, near King. Rev. Dr. E. V. Regester, pastor, Services at 11 a. m., and 7:45 p. m. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. The Henry K. Field Bible

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Second Presbyterian Church, Rev. Dr. John Lee Allison, pastor, Sunday Schools at 9:30 a. m., in Westminster Building and Commerce St. Mission. 10 a. m., Westminster Bible Class in auditorium of church, Glenn L. Justice, teacher. Christian Endeavor at 7 p. m. Services 11 a. m., with communion and reception of members. Evening service 7:45 p. m. Special music by the choir at both services.

Salvation Army, headquarters 319-21 King street. Capt. L. F. Bott, officer in charge. Sunday at 11 a. m. subject of sermon, "When a Man's a Fool." Sunday School at 2:30 p. m. Evening services 8 p. m., subject, "Up From the Depths." Capt. Bott will base his sermon on his past experience as an infidel.

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NOTICE OF FIRST MEETING OF CREDITORS

In the District Court of the United States, for the Eastern District of Virginia. In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of Hyman Wolfson, Bankrupt. No. 196 In Bankruptcy.

To the creditors of Hyman Wolfson of Alexandria, and District aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 18th day of February, A. D., 1921, the said Hyman Wolfson was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at 123 South Royal street, in the city of Alexandria, Va., on the 15th day of March, A. D., 1921, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Charles Henry Smith,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
Alexandria, Virginia, March 1, 1921.
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"Dear Joyless," she said, "I am so glad that you have come. I have passed many sad hours for the sake of Faithless, whom this traitor slew. He has treated me very cruelly, keeping me shut up in a dark cave; but now I will take shelter with you from his disdainful spite. To you belongs the inheritance of your brother Faithless. Let him not be unavenged."

"Fair lady, grieve no more for past sorrows," said Joyless; "neither be afraid of present peril, for needless fear never profited any one, nor is it any good to lament over misfortunes that cannot be helped. Faithless is dead, his troubles are over; but I live, and I will avenge him."

"Oh, but I fear what may happen," she answered, "and the advantage is on his side."

"Why, lady, what advantage can there be when both fight alike?" asked Joyless.

"Yes, but he bears a charmed shield," said Duessa, "and also enchanted armour that no one can pierce. None can wound the man that wears them."

"Charmed or enchanted, I care not at all," said Joyless fiercely, "nor need you tell me anything more about them. But, fair lady, go back whence you came and rest awhile. Tomorrow I shall subdue the Red Cross Knight, and give you the heritage of dead Faithless."

"Wherever I am, my secret aid shall follow you," she answered, and then she left him.

At the first gleam of dawn the Red Cross Knight sprang up and dressed himself for battle in his sunbright armour. Forth he stepped into the hall, where there were many waiting to gaze at him, curious to know what fate was in store for the stranger knight. Many minstrels were there, making melody to drive away sadness; many singers that could tune their voices skilfully to harp and viol; many chroniclers that could tell old stories of love and war.

Soon after, came the pagan knight, Joyless, warily armed in woven mail. He looked sternly at the Red Cross Knight, who cared not at all how any living creature looked at him. Cups of wine were brought to the warriors, with dainty Eastern spices, and they both swore a solemn oath to observe faithfully the laws of just and fair fighting.

At last, with royal pomp, came the Queen. She was led to a railed-in space of the green field, and placed under a stately canopy. On the other side, full in all men's view, sat Duessa, and on a tree near was hung the shield of Faithless. Both Duessa and the shield were to be given to the victor.

A shrill trumpet bade them prepare for battle. The pagan knight was stout and strong, and his blows fell like great iron hammers. He fought for cruelty and vengeance. The Red Cross Knight was fierce, and full of youthful courage; he fought for praise and honour. So furious was their onslaught that sparks of fire flew from their shields, and deep marks were hewn in their helmets.

Thus they fought, the one for wrong, the other for right, and each tried to put his foe to shame. At last Joyless chanced to look at his brother's shield which was hanging near. The sight of this doubled his anger, and he struck at his foe with such fury that the Knight reeled twice, and seemed likely to fall. To those who looked on, the end of the battle appeared doubtful, and false Duessa began to call loudly to Joyless.—

"Thine the shield, and I, and all!

Directly the Red Cross Knight heard her voice he woke out of the faintness that had overcome him; his faith, which had grown weak, suddenly became strong, and he shook off the deadly cold that was creeping over him.

This time he attacked Joyless with such vigor that he brought him down upon his knees. Lifting his sword, he would have slain him, when suddenly a dark cloud fell between them. Joyless was seen no more; he had vanished! The Knight called aloud to him, but received no answer: his foe was completely hidden by the darkness.

Duessa rose hastily from her place, and ran to the Red Cross Knight, saying—

"O noblest Knight, be angry no longer! Some evil power has covered your enemy with the cloud of night, and borne him away to the regions of darkness. The conquest is yours, I am yours, the shield and the glory are yours."

Then the trumpets sounded, and running heralds made humble homage, and the shield, the cause of all the enmity, was brought to the Red Cross Knight. He went to the Queen, and kneeling before her, offered her his service, which she accepted with thanks and much satisfaction, greatly praising his chivalry.

So they marched home, the Knight next the Queen, while all the people followed with great glee, shouting and clapping their hands. When they got to the palace the Knight was given gentle attendants and skilled doctors, for he had been badly hurt in the fight. His wounds were washed with wine, and oil, and healing herbs, and all the while lovely music was played round his bed to beguile him from grief and pain.

While this was happening, Duessa secretly left the palace, and stole away to the Kingdom of Darkness, which is ruled over by the Queen of Night. This queen was a friend of her own, and was always ready to help in any bad deeds. Duessa told her of what had befallen the pagan knight, Joyless, and persuaded her to carry him away to her own dominions. Here he was placed under the care of a wonderful doctor, who was able to cure people by magic, and Duessa hastened back to the House of Pride.

When she got there she was dismayed to find that the Red Cross Knight had already left, although he was not nearly healed from the wounds which he had received in battle.

The reason why he left was this One day his servant, whose name you may remember was Prudence, came and told him that he had discovered in the palace a huge, deep dungeon full of miserable prisoners. Hundreds of men and women were there, wailing and lamenting—grand lords and beautiful ladies, who, from foolish behaviour or love of idle pomp, had wasted their wealth and fallen into the power of the wicked Queen of Pride.

When the good Red Cross Knight heard this, he determined to stay no longer in such a place of peril.

Rising before dawn, he left by a small side door, for he knew that if he were seen he would be at once put to death. To him the place no more seemed beautiful; it filled him with horror and disgust. Riding under the castle wall, the way was strewn with hundreds of dead bodies of those who had perished miserably. Such was the dreadful sight of the House of Pride.

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NOTICE OF FIRST MEETING OF CREDITORS

In the District Court of the United States, for the Eastern District of Virginia, In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of Samuel C. Appleton, Bankrupt; No. 1241 in Bankruptcy.

To the creditors of Samuel C. Appleton of Nokesville, in the County of Prince William and District aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 15th day of March A. D., 1921, that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at 123 South Royal Street, in the City of Alexandria, Va., at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Charles Henry Smith,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
Alexandria, Virginia, March 1, 1921.
51-6c.

Governor Davis Wires Congratulations to Harding

To assure the President-elect of the support and co-operation of the Commonwealth of Virginia during his administration, Westmoreland Davis, Governor, yesterday sent the following telegram to Warren G. Harding:

Hon. Warren G. Harding,
President of the United States.

"Accept my best wishes for a successful administration of the affairs of the nation.

"Westmoreland Davis,
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Washington, March 5.—The menu of the luncheon for the Harding party yesterday, the first meal they had at the White House, was simple. It was composed of oyster patties, broiled chicken, green peas, new boiled potatoes, ice cream and coffee.

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